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From: Martha Rocha for Raymond M. Galasso

Re: US Patent Application No. 10/751,129

Inventor: Narsinh, et al.

Title: Parallel Data Link Layer Controllers in a Network Switching Device

Our Ref: 134171

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Message: For filing in the above referenced matter, please find a Transmittal Letter (1 p) and Amendment (6pp).

Sincerely, Galasso & Associates, LP

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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above referenced matter are the following items:

1. Amendment (6pp).

No fee is due. However, if applicant is in error, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees associated with this communication to Galasso & Associates Deposit Account No. 50-3446 under Attorney Docket No. 134171.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 29, 2008

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action ("Office Action") dated May 30, 2008, with the shortened statutory period set to expire on September 2, 2008 (August 30 being a Saturday, August 31 being a Sunday, and September 1 being a Federal Holiday (Labor Day)), please enter the following amendment: